

WEDNESDAY, MAY 28, 1902.
Location of Brogan Mills.

The directors of Brogan Cotton Mills have decided to locate the mills directly west of the Anderson cotton mills property, and just outside the city limits.

Standing on Whitner street, at a point half-way between the Rev. H. B. Fant place and the old Byrum place on the hill across the branch, the location is about on a straight line north, probably a quarter of a mile, on a slope well suited for the purpose.

The water supply for steam and dyeing purposes will be obtained from the Byrum branch and a spring which has an ample flow of water. A sidetrack three-eighths of a mile in length will connect the mill with the Blue Ridge railroad at a point about one-fourth of a mile this side of the Cox Mill. This track will be without tresseling to the warehouses in rear of the mills, but in front of the mills, leading to the boiler rooms, there will be a branch sidetrack with three or four hundred feet of trestle, giving the exact facilities desired in handling coal and obviating the necessity of building a coal chute.

Mr. Beattie, receiver for the Blue Ridge road, has assured the mill men that arrangements for the immediate construction of this sidetrack have been made, indeed, the order for the rails has already been given. The construction of the mill will begin as soon as this track is completed and the building material can be placed on the grounds. A contract for two million brick will be placed this week. The property on which the mill will be situated is 123 acres bought of Mr. R. E. Ligon. On the East it faces "I" street, about the entire length of the street, which is in the city limits, and touches along the Blue Ridge railroad for some distance to the line of the Cox Mill property, which also adjoins it on the north. To the west it adjoins lands of Hon. B. F. Canten and on the south it adjoins the Byrum place and the Rev. H. B. Fant place. The mill and cottages will be outside of the city limits, but should stores be erected, which is quite probable, they will be built fronting on "I" street, within the city limits.

It will be seen from this that a village of at least 2,000 inhabitants is to be added to Anderson in an exceedingly short time, and when the rapid increase in population made in Anderson in the last few years is considered, in connection with the development of our resources yet to be made, the prospect of Anderson becoming in a few years a populous and prosperous city is as bright and promising as could be desired.

Brushy Creek Singing Convention.

Mr. Editor: The singing at Mt. Airy last Sunday, given under the auspices of the Brushy Creek Singing Convention, was a most enjoyable occasion to the large crowd that was present. The Convention was greatly disappointed when the announcement was made that Prof. Willis, of Anderson, one of the invited singers, could not be present. It was not generally known, also, whether Prof. Durham, the other invited singer, would be present or not.

Soon after 10 o'clock, however, there was heard in the direction of Piedmont the sound of a heavily "rained" wagon, which seemed to be entering the appointed place of song. All eyes were turned in that direction, when shortly it was whispered around that it was a wagon from Piedmont, and that Prof. Durham was one of the occupants. A pleasant smile, mingled with a slight surprise, passed from face to face. In a few minutes it was generally known that for the past week Prof. Durham had been confined to a class in vocal music at Piedmont, and that he had voluntarily brought several of his best singers with him.

The Church was soon filled to its utmost seating capacity, with many left in the yard. With Prof. Durham as leader, Miss Anna Wilson at the organ, Messrs. Thompson, Rackley and Merritt, of Piedmont; C. C. Foster, of Mt. Airy; M. M. Merritt, of Sledge; Porter and H. A. Foster, of Fairview; Eltham Pickens, of Pickens; Chapel, Luther Bagwell, of Flagah; and G. Q. Wington, of Mt. Springs, as soloists, the singing was in bass and tenor; and with the harmonious voices of the fairer sex, whose names are too numerous to mention and who "did the thing up nice and brown" with soprano voices, the whole choir for rocks around was filled with music such as has not been known to be produced at Mt. Airy in years. Even the millions of birds, flitting from tree to tree, were apparently hushed in profound silence as the approach of such striking vibrations in the air struck their sensitive organs of hearing, and even the tired voices of the weary faithful friends of the musical feast appeared to be considerably refreshed at the sound of such music as was everywhere to be felt judging from the manner in which they would raise their heads to a good old "Sunday rest" and extend their particular attentions toward the Church in a thank attitude.

After leading the class for a considerable time, Prof. Durham asked to be excused for a few minutes which he could get some much needed rest. Several selections were then led by Messrs. Thompson, Porter and Merritt, each of whom showed their ability as leaders almost equal to that they had already shown in bass and tenor.

One hour and a half having been spent in the grove, during which time many groups could be seen circled around the outspread baskets of dinner, the crowd re-assembled in the Church at the first sound of the organ. The afternoon was most pleasantly spent in listening to songs and addresses.

Prof. Durham made a most interesting and instructive address on music, setting forth the many excellent reasons why a person should learn this, one of the most important of the fine arts. The president of the convention, Mr. J. R. Tripp, who was prevented from being present at the morning session, gave a good talk to the younger persons in the congregation, giving some good advice, which, if practiced, would help greatly toward the success of any public gathering.

One feature of the day which deserves special mention was the singing of several solos by little Milton Bishop, of Piedmont, who is only nine years of age. He has a remarkably effective alto voice, which if properly trained and used will very likely in future years make him become famous in the musical world. For a boy of his age to get up before a large audience of strangers and sing with approval, as little embarrassment as he did is enough to put many a person of riper years to shame when he but only thinks of the many wasted opportunities that could have been better used.

Many thanks are due Prof. Durham, by the Convention, for his valuable assistance in rendering the program of the

Mt. Sinai, Mt. Olivet and a Land Purchasing Company.

Nine miles southwest from Anderson, on the Brown's Ferry road, is old Mt. Sinai Campground, where once a year for more than a quarter of a century colored people from all parts of the County have flocked for religious worship. "Big meetin'" at Sinai is the biggest occasion after crops are "laid by," and the religious and social fervor emanating from this favorite shrine extends for miles in every direction. The city is moved by this influence, and to see wagon load after wagon load of dusky devotees en route to St. Sinai campmeeting once a year is just as certain as the annual return of Summer.

Two miles this side of Sinai, on the same road, is Mount Olivet, another prominent place of worship belonging to the negroes, and where these large annual gatherings are also held. At each of these places is a good church building, and at Sinai there is, in addition, a parsonage, a school building and an arbor and several shacks constructed of logs, which are used during the "big meetin'" for sleeping apartments. The membership of these churches is large, and among them are some of the most prosperous colored citizens of Anderson County.

The social opportunities of this race are very limited, as all know, and every Church has inseparably its purely social side—its elite society—where general news and all things temporal are freely discussed. From this side of the meetings, in all probability, comes the strongest appeals to most of them, but from these societies often come good results. About three or more years ago one of these societies was formed by some of the more prosperous attendants of Mt. Sinai and Mt. Olivet, having for its object the saving of small sums of money and the purchase of lands, and such progress has been made as to gain for the society the name, "Land Purchasing Company." Prominent among the members of this society are Frank Anderson, Henry Wakefield, Green Jenkins, Alex. Williford, Seaborn Stowers and others. Most of these own their own farms and some of them very valuable tracts of land. The plan of this society is to pay in regular stipulated dues, and probably fines, usual in most of their societies, and when these aggregate a sufficient amount a small tract of land is hunted up and bought for cash. This is rented to industrious negroes, whose characters they have means of knowing thoroughly, and the rent from the land goes to swell the treasury till another small farm can be bought. In this way acre has been added to acre until two or more valuable farms have been bought, and the society is proving the scheme to be a first-class bit of financing. It certainly speaks well for these at the head of the society and reflects credit on the progress of the colored farmers of Anderson County.

Townville Notes.

Prof. and Mrs. J. B. Felton, of Honea Path, are visiting the latter's father, J. C. Spence.

Miss Grace Thompson, who has been teaching a flourishing school at Fountain Inn, has returned home to spend the Summer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gaines, of Abbeville, visited the latter's sister, Mrs. J. D. Babb.

Mrs. L. M. Mahaffey, who has been spending awhile with her parents near Hopewell, has returned home. She was accompanied home by her mother, Mrs. Newell, who expects to remain with her a few days.

Mrs. C. L. Queen and Miss Sarah Hughes, of Loxavia, Ga., spent awhile with the former's father, J. D. Compton.

Louie Graham took in the grand sights at the Charleston Exposition recently.

Miss Sallie Ellis, of Loxavia, Ga., visited her cousin, Mrs. J. A. Wooten, recently.

Mrs. Mary McPhail and little Vernelle McCarley visited friends and relatives here recently.

Miss Effie Bagwell, of Seneca, who has been visiting friends and relatives in this community has returned home.

Mrs. Morgan is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. C. D. Giles, near Earle's Mill.

P. S. Mahaffey and Claude Shirley have gone to the Charleston Exposition. They are intending to remain several days.

J. H. Bruce is with his brother, Dr. S. G. Bruce, at Anderson, for a few days.

Rev. R. J. Williams delivered an eloquent address at the Baptist Church the third Sunday, on the work of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Bonneau Harris, of Georgia, is spending awhile at his father's, H. Harris.

The new bridge on Conners, at the Livingstone place, will be completed in a short time.

Mrs. Henry Crooks, who has been teaching the school at the Seneca cotton mill, has returned home on account of the smallness of the school.

Missionary Day was observed at the Presbyterian Church last Sunday.

Pansy.

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Laying of Corner Stone of Central Presbyterian Church.

The following is the program of the exercises at the laying of the Corner Stone of The Central Presbyterian Church:

The Corner Stone will be laid at high noon on Monday, June 3, by Worshipful Master T. C. Walton, of Hiram Lodge, No. 83, A. F. M., S. C., with the assistance of the members of the Lodge.

Song by choir.

Prayer by Rev. O. J. Copeland, Chaplain.

Reading of list of articles to be deposited in Corner Stone, by G. N. C. Boleman, Sec.

Laying of Corner Stone by Worshipful Master, with usual Masonic rites.

Song by choir.

Address, by Rev. S. J. Cartledge.

Address, by Rev. B. M. Anderson.

Address, by Rev. D. W. Keller.

Song by choir.

Address, by Rev. M. B. Kelly.

Address, by Rev. William Brown.

Address, by Rev. J. D. Chapman.

Announcement by Worshipful Master, T. C. Walton.

Song by choir.

Closing, by Rev. H. R. Murchison.

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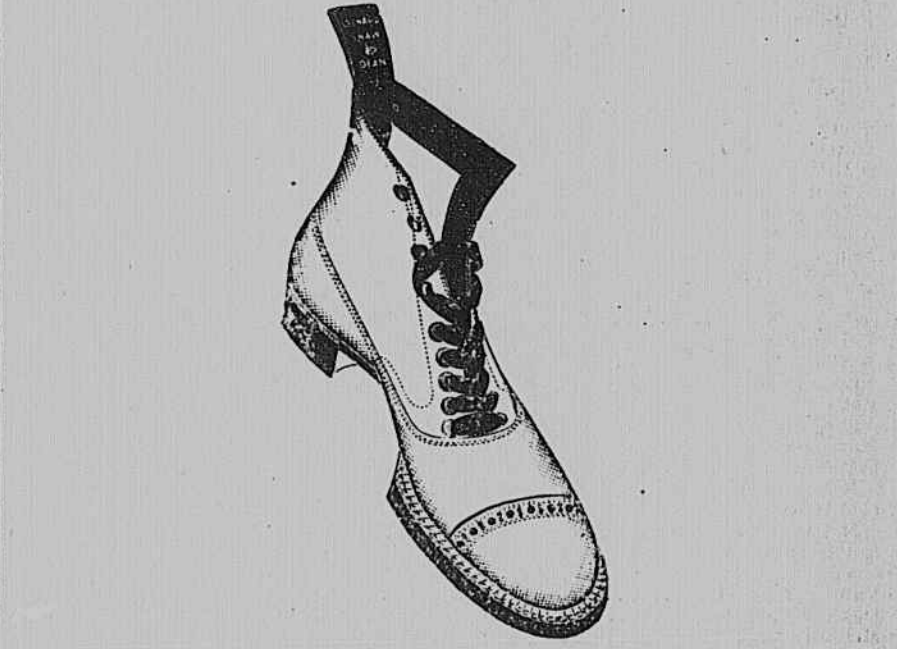
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